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## January 22, 2021 INFLATION ADJUSTMENTS: LEGAL NOTICE NEWSPAPER PUBLICATION COSTS EFFECTIVE MARCH 1, 2021

Public Act 82 of 2017 requires that legal notice newspaper publication cost amounts provided in MCL 600.2534(1) be adjusted to reflect the percentage increase in the U.S. Consumer Price Index from March 1, 2008 to June 1, 2017 upon Public Act 82's effective date (October 10, 2017) for publications after the effective date. PA 82 requires that each adjusted amount must be rounded to the nearest five cents.

PA 82 further provides that the legal notice publication costs be adjusted annually each March from March 2018 through March 2025 by the percentage change in the U.S. CPI in the preceding calendar year.

The U.S. Consumer Price Index increased 1.2 percent in calendar year 2020.

Therefore, for publications on or after the effective date of March 1, 2021, but before March 1, 2022, the legal notice publication cost amounts shall be as follows:

<b>Legal Notice Description</b>	Amount
Per Folio Cost of First Publication	\$25.35
Per Folio Cost for Subsequent Publication	\$10.45
Minimum Cost for Notice That Must Be	
Published Two or More Times	\$72.80
Minimum Cost for Notice That Must Be	
Published One Time	\$54.35

The above amounts will next be adjusted effective March 1, 2022 by the percentage change in the U.S. Consumer Price Index in calendar year 2021.

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